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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed for this application on March 12, 2002. A copy of the Notice is enclosed herewith. The informal drawings that were filed for the above-captioned matter on February 11, 2002 did not have the correct margin settings and were not electronically reproducible. Please replace the previously submitted drawings with the correctly formatted sheets enclosed herewith.

Applicant believes that there is no fee due in connection with this response. If, however, there is a fee due the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the unpaid amount, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0920. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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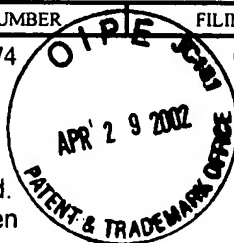
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Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - Drawings must be in dark ink (not pencil), except where color drawings or photographs are permitted.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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